

'Negroes,' and relating to the navigation of vessels by negroes ;

Was taken up for consideration on its second reading ;

Mr. Herbert moved to strike out the enacting clause of the bill.

The question being on the adoption of the motion,

Mr. Dent demanded the yeas and nays ;

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called and appeared as follow :

#### AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Kemp, Sp'k	Griffith,	Douglass,
Dent,	Ireland,	Herbert,
Martin,	Carrico,	Pierce, of Q. A's,
Westcott,	Poteet,	Tolson,
Cosden,	Keir,	Hammond,
Claude,	McNeal,	Hitchcock,
Iglehart,	Mathews,	Fawcett,
Henkle,	Handy,	Young—24.

#### NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Hoffman,	Rinehart,	Boswell,
Wright,	Snyder,	Cushwa,
Pearce, of B. co.	Archer,	Miller,
Lusby,	Barron,	Zeigler,
Lester,	Silverwood,	Greene,
Frazier,	Chappell,	Shaw,
Jones,	Stevens,	Brown,
Stubbs,	Stockbridge,	Hebb,
Duncan,	Lee,	Ecker,
Smith,	Murray, of B. city,	Starr,
Murray, of Wor.,	Dundon,	Sykes,
Buhrman,	Mules,	Tyson—37.
Biggs,		

So the motion to strike out the enacting clause was rejected.

Mr. Herbert submitted the following amendment:

"That this act shall take effect after the adoption of a new constitution ;"

Whith was rejected.

The bill was then read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading,

The bill entitled, "An Act to repeal sections 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37 of article 66, entitled, 'Negroes,' and relating to the